

**MINUTES  
SPECIAL MEETING  
OF THE EDINA CITY COUNCIL  
HELD THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2014  
AT 5:45 P.M.**

Mayor Hovland called the meeting to order at 5:45 p.m. Answering rollcall were Members Bennett, Sprague and Mayor Hovland. Absent were Members Brindle and Swenson.

Clerk Mangen noted seven candidates filed for the office of Council Member in City of Edina. Ms. Mangen said 24,049 people cast ballots at the November 4, 2014 Municipal Election. Ms. Mangen said that the total Edina registered voters was 34,441 with 69.83% of the registered voters casting ballots on November 4<sup>th</sup>. She reported that Kevin Staunton and Robert Stewart received the most votes for the Office of Council Member.

The Council reviewed the results from the November 4, 2014, City Election.

**Member Bennett made a motion, seconded by Member Sprague to accept the Abstract of Canvass as follows:**

**ABSTRACT OF VOTES CAST  
IN THE PRECINCTS OF THE CITY OF EDINA  
AT THE STATE GENERAL ELECTION  
FOR THE CITY OF EDINA ELECTION  
HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014  
AS COMPILED FROM THE OFFICIAL RETURNS**

The Edina City Council inspected and compared the summary statements certified by the Election Judges with the General Election Returns for the City of Edina Election held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014.

**SUMMARY OF TOTALS  
CITY OF EDINA  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014 STATE GENERAL ELECTION**

Number of persons registered as of 7:00 a.m.	32680
Number of persons registered on Election Day	1761
Number of accepted absentee ballots (regular, military, overseas & federal only)	5057*
Total Number of persons voting	24049*

\*One absentee ballot for Precinct 17 was returned totally blank; it was tabulated but does not show up in any totals.

**GENERAL ELECTION RETURNS  
2014 CITY ELECTION**

Pct. No.	Bliss	Janovy	Johnson	Sprague	Staunton	Steel	Stewart	Write- ins	Over votes	Under votes	Pct. Total
1A	43	299	117	301	420	144	265	14	2	889	2494
1B	53	345	122	346	505	126	524	7	4	788	2820
2	48	269	97	297	377	96	239	3	4	666	2096
3	42	423	122	374	671	103	666	21	10	820	3252
4	19	654	40	322	594	98	287	12	2	752	2780
5	43	371	127	383	758	126	487	9	2	754	3060
6	47	393	108	343	607	140	403	11	8	708	2768
7	37	321	95	269	393	95	232	10	4	602	2058

Pct. No.	Bliss	Janovy	Johnson	Sprague	Staunton	Steel	Stewart	Write- ins	Over votes	Under votes	Pct. Total
8	35	352	113	299	496	123	446	10	4	664	2542
9	35	320	100	256	430	245	257	6	6	603	2258
10	29	234	92	269	379	104	389	11	6	563	2076
11	44	358	98	379	551	176	455	13	2	744	2820
12	18	196	45	139	222	41	246	3	0	220	1130
13	35	245	80	143	190	112	225	7	2	435	1474
14	34	371	98	361	497	185	258	16	2	748	2570
15	53	348	116	340	358	108	498	4	2	755	2582
16	42	393	97	418	421	149	454	13	4	675	2666
17	52	262	113	145	157	243	130	5	2	439	1548
18	129	542	228	401	314	244	312	2	8	1030	3210
19	37	281	100	249	253	96	327	3	0	546	1892
Total	875	6977	2108	6034	8593	2754	7100	180	74	13401	48096
%	2.53%	20.15%	6.09%	17.43%	24.82%	7.95%	20.51%	.52%			

We as the legally constituted municipal canvassing board, certify that we have herein specified the names of the persons receiving votes for the office of Council member of the City of Edina at the State General Election held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014.

As appears by the returns of the election precincts voting in this election, duly returned to, filed opened, canvassed, and now remaining on file in the office of the City of Edina City Clerk, Kevin Staunton and Robert Stewart are elected to terms as Council Members for four-year terms commencing January 5, 2015.

Dated this 7th day of November 2014.

Ayes: Bennett, Sprague, Hovland

Motion carried

Mayor Hovland declared the meeting adjourned at 5:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Debra A. Mangen, City Clerk

Minutes approved by Edina City Council, November 18, 2014.

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James B. Hovland, Mayor